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In response to an Office Action mailed November 6, 2002, Applicants submit the  
following amendments and remarks for entry in the above-identified application.

The response is being filed within the sixth month from the date the office action was  
mailed. A Petition for a three month extension of time is being filed herewith along with a  
check in the appropriate amount to cover the surcharge.

Please amend the application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:✓  
Please cancel claims 1-8 and 14-18:✓  
Please add new claims 19-28 as follows: